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Celebration of the 250th Anniversary  
of the Settlement of the  
City of Newark, N. J.

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COMPETITION  
*for a*  
CITY FLAG

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Committee of One Hundred  
Newark, N. J.

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In order to obtain an appropriate design for a city flag for the City of Newark, New Jersey, to be used in connection with the celebration of the 250th anniversary of the municipality in 1916, and thereafter, the Committee of One Hundred herewith announces a competition open to any resident of the State of New Jersey, under the following conditions:

1. The design must be executed and completely finished by the person competing himself.

2. The design may consist of a drawing in colors or of an actual flag of silk or bunting of miniature size.

3. All the designs must be in the hands of the judges by October 1st, 1915. Each design shall be securely wrapped, and if a drawing, shall bear in one corner a distinguishing mark or symbol, and if a miniature flag, shall have affixed thereto a small card or sheet of

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paper bearing such distinguishing mark or symbol. Accompanying each design shall be a sealed, plain white envelope, which shall carry on the outside the distinguishing mark or symbol, and no other mark of any other description, and shall contain inside, the name of the competitor and his or her address. The envelopes containing the names will remain sealed until after the judges shall have made the awards. No competitor will be permitted to submit more than one design. Designs and correspondence relating to the competition should be addressed to the Committee of One Hundred, Kinney Building, Newark, N. J., and endorsed "City Flag Contest."

4. A prize of \$100. will be awarded to the person, who in the opinion of the judges shall submit the best design.

5. The judges of the contest will be as follows:

*HON. THOMAS L. RAYMOND,*  
*Mayor of the City of Newark.*

*HON. PATRICK C. O'BRIEN,*  
*President of the Common Council of Newark.*

*HON. FREDERIC L. JOHNSON,*  
*President of the Board of Education of Newark.*

*HON. PATRICK H. RYAN*  
*President of the Board of Street and Water*  
*Commissioners of Newark.*

*HON. ALEXANDER ARCHIBALD,*  
*City Clerk of Newark.*

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*Resolution of the Common Council:*

*WHEREAS*, the City of Newark will celebrate the 250th anniversary of its founding in the year Nineteen Hundred and Sixteen; and

*WHEREAS*, it is desirable that Newark have a flag of its own to be made use of during the celebration festivities and to be thereafter the official flag of the City of Newark; and

*WHEREAS*, the Committee of One Hundred, so-called, a body appointed by the Mayor and empowered by law and resolution of this Common Council, to plan and conduct the celebration of the city's 250th anniversary, has formulated plans for securing appropriate designs for such a flag; therefore be it

*RESOLVED*, that the Committee of One Hundred be specifically authorized and requested to secure an appropriate design for a flag, which, upon adoption by the Common Council, shall be the official flag of the City of Newark, and shall be displayed upon all public buildings of the City, and shall otherwise be used when and where occasion demands.

MARK F. PHILLIPS, JOHN F. FITZSIMMONS, MICHAEL FAGAN, JOHN J. WALSH, C. W. LITTLEFIELD, E. G. GIFFORD,	}	<i>Committee on Finance.</i>
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*Adopted June 4, 1915.*

*P. C. O'BRIEN,  
President of Common Council.*

*Presented to the Mayor  
for his approval  
June 5, 1915.*

*A. ARCHIBALD, City Clerk.*

*Approved June 14, 1915.*

*THOMAS L. RAYMOND,  
Mayor.*